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Following is a copy of an amendment mailed to the USPTO December 13, 2005, having a First Class Certificate of Mailing, copies of the enclosures transmitted therewith and a copy of the Patent and Trademark Acknowledgment postcard indicating receipt of the amendment and enclosures December 19, 2005. The Examiner of record in this application phoned with a status inquiry, because these items were not recorded when received. Applicants are sending the items again by fax, and request recordal of the items, because they were not recorded when received the first time.

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